



At Town's First Outdoor Art Show



Sari Shiren (center) with Grace Trast and Michael Juliano at the art exhibit held last Sunday in the Center.

Greenbelt's first outdoor art exhibit was held last Sunday in the Center. The exhibitors included Mrs. Grace Trast, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer L. Goodwin, Mrs. Estella Dolgoff, Mrs. Texas Rosenson, Mrs. Ruth P. Newman, Mrs. Donald J. Wintle, Mrs. Alvin Tucker, Mrs. Alice J. Freeman, Ensign and Mrs. Phil Guss, Mrs. Augusta Schaeffer, and Mrs. Henry Mazlen. Four children were represented, Michael Juliano, 11; Wattha Rosenson, 12; Billy Ruback, 11, and Lavon Marts, 10.

Greenbelt Lake was the theme of most of the original drawings and sketches, and a number of copies of famous paintings were also on display. Mrs. Sari Shiren, who conducted the art classes, studied at the Art Students League in New York, and privately with Raymond

Parry, also maintaining her own studio at Washington Square. The classes will not be held during the summer, but will resume in the fall, when Mrs. Shiren hopes to teach classes in both sculpture and painting at the Elementary School and North End School.

Give Blood June 21

The Red Cross Motor Corps will be at the bus station Thursday, June 21, to take prospective blood donors over to Hyattsville, leaving promptly at 11:45. Call for appointment Mrs. D. J. Neff, 2386; Mrs. George Clark, 4161; Mrs. M. M. Fontaine, 3086.

Dodge Downs Duck Hawk At Lake



Officer Bob Dodge reports the end of the duck hawk that made life miserable and uncertain for the ducks at the lake. A shotgun at 50 feet from an open police car window accounted for him on Thursday, June 7. The lake is now safe for the two remaining ducks and for the eight new Muscovy ducks promised by Judge George Phillips of Berwyn. As for the hawk, he is to be mounted and will thereafter be displayed at the police station.

Largest Hi Class Receives Diplomas

Town Manager James Gobbel last Thursday presented diplomas to ten commercial graduates, twelve academic graduates, and thirty-nine general graduates; a total of sixty-one, the largest class ever to receive diplomas from Greenbelt High.

Speakers on the all-student program, whose theme was "Building America", were: Philip Dykstra, Jane Linhardt, James McCarl, Pat Brown, George Neumann, Paul Strickler and Shirley Mitchell.

The Kiwanis Award, for citizenship was awarded to Frances Jane Linhardt and George W. Neumann. Leon G. Benefiel, commander of the local post, presented the Legion award for all-around sportsmanship, citizenship, courage and service to the school, to Shirley A. Mitchell and Paul T. Strickler. The American Legion Auxiliary Award to the author of the best theme on the subject, "Thomas Jefferson, His Contributions to Democracy," was presented to Joanne Marie Scott by Mrs. James McCarl. The Valedictorian Award for highest scholastic standing went to Helen Patricia Brown. The P-TA presented silver cups to the students standing highest scholastically in their respective courses: Frances Jane Linhardt, commercial; Helen Patricia Brown, academic; and Lois DeJager, general.

Six Men Chosen To Plan For Vets

At a meeting held last Monday night at the Hyattsville Armory, Judge Thomas Freeman was appointed one of a six-man committee to plan a county veterans' center. Others on the committee are Lt. Maurice McGrath, Hyattsville; Mrs. William P. Starr, Hyattsville, of the county Federation of Women's Clubs; H. Clay Whiteford, Hyattsville, College Park Rotary Club; Dr. Jacob Waldman, Hyattsville, of the county B'nai B'rith, and Otis B. Dudrow, Hyattsville, of the county Independent Trade Association.

Attending from Greenbelt besides Judge Freeman were Mrs. Carnie Harper of Greenbelt Consumer Services, Miss Dorothy Black, town social service worker, Mrs. Elise East of the Housewives Club, Mrs. Gladys Freeman for the Legion Auxiliary, and Mrs. Joseph Rogers, Woman's Club.

The committee asks that all organizations interested in a county veterans' center appoint a representative to attend the next general meeting, which will be announced, as the county commissioners must be assured of wide support for the program before they can approve expenditure of funds.

Inquiries may be addressed to Mrs. Edna Stripling, 3027; Mrs. Rogers, 3171, or Mrs. Harper, 4453 (after 7 p. m.)

Stork Wins Parkway Race

Mrs. Donald Chittenden of 18-B Parkway Road and Officer John Belton shared the honors in assisting at an emergency birth on Parkway Tuesday evening.

Informed of the event by a neighbor child, Mrs. Chittenden sailed through a group of completely demoralized housewives to reassure Mrs. Delbert Mesner, who had just delivered her second child, a baby boy, unaided. Mrs. Chittenden then established the child's respiration. "It seemed as though I smacked him for about ten minutes before he cried," she said afterwards.

Summoned to give ambulance service when an expected taxi failed to show up, Officer Belton arrived in time to cut the cord. Dr. William Eisner was on the scene half an hour later.

Members of Group Health, the Mesners had planned to use its facilities in Washington.

GCS Applies To ODT, Md. Officials For Permit To Run Intra-Town Bus

By C. R. MILLER

The action of Greenbelt Consumer Services, through board authority, in filing applications with the Maryland Public Service Commission and the Office of Defense Transportation for bus service within Greenbelt, brings nearer than ever before the possibility that north-enders may get their much-needed transportation to the Center.

If successful with the authorities, the next problem for GCS will be the rental of a bus, probably from a school, as it was decided at last Friday's Board meeting that the purchase of a bus was not desirable at this time.

One plan would be to run the bus at regular intervals throughout the day completely around the town—from the center right on Crescent, continuing around the west end on to Ridge and from Ridge traveling up Laurel Hill and Research roads, then back to the center via Hillside. The cost proposed is 5 cents per ride.

Ever since the erection of the defense homes, public-minded citizens in Greenbelt have endeavored to provide transportation for the families in the north end of town. Two possibilities were soon apparent: having the town run its own bus, or securing service from Capital Transit Company.

A decision of the Comptroller General in 1939 implied that the Town of Greenbelt could not operate a transportation service. The ruling sprung from the Town's partial subsidy of Capital Transit's express bus service directly into Washington. While the decision permitted retention by the company of the amount already paid by Greenbelt, it prevented continuance of the arrangement. This has been interpreted to mean that the operation of transportation service is not a proper function of the town.

In January of 1943 the Town Council was requested by the Citizens Association to secure some means of providing loop bus service. Lieutenant Arthur Rysticken investigated the situation for Greenbelt and learned from the ODT that if a bus or street car passes within two miles of a residence, it is considered to be adequate. The peace time distance was not supposed to be greater than one-half mile.

Fred DeJager carried on the work and in October 1943 began negotiations with Capital Transit Company. The plan then was to hold over the extra rush hour bus in the morning and make four trips around town during the day before using it for the evening rush period. Between Capital Transit and the ODT, the plan was not put into effect. Mr. DeJager told the Cooperator this week that the reason given at that time was lack of gasoline, so that in his opinion bus service might now be approved.

The next attempt was in January 1944, when Mr. DeJager approached the Transit Company to run its incoming buses through the North End. Again the gas shortage was the reason given for refusal.

In March of this year Mr. DeJager passed his records on the problem along to George Frank, a defense home resident, who has been diligent in making contacts and securing information which would lead toward securing a local bus. In April a petition was adopted by the Citizens Association and presented to the Public Service Commission asking that body to request the Transit Company to provide bus service within Greenbelt. It was learned at this time the Commission, a Maryland authority, has no final jurisdiction over the District utilities.

With the town officials wary of taking action which might be contrary to the ruling of the Comptroller General, and Capital Transit unable or unwilling to cooperate, Mr. Frank and Mr. Ashelman have gotten together on the problem, and for the first time formal application has been made to State and Government for approval of intra-Greenbelt bus service.

Rally Raises \$15,220

The Navy Wives' Bond Rally at the Theater last Thursday raised \$15,220. A crowd of almost 500 turned up to see the stage show put on by the Hayden Revue.

Has Seven Year Service Record

(First in a series of articles dealing with local organizations)

Announcement of a membership drive beginning today and going through August 1, focusses attention on 30-D Ridge Rd., headquarters for the Cooperative Health Association, which for seven years has furnished the people of Greenbelt a medical insurance plan and has brought in many qualified resident doctors and nurses to serve the community.

At its height 500 member families paid regular dues to the Association, receiving, among other advantages, unlimited telephone and office calls, medications at cost, reductions on eye refractions and specialists' services through Group Health in Washington. The Association's emphasis on preventive medicine enabled many a family to escape ruinous hospital bills.

Membership drive workers plan to remind Greenbelters that Health Association babies cost only \$45, which is the delivery charge, including complete pre-natal and post-natal care. Service wives whose medical services extend to only the first six weeks of their baby's life will especially be asked to evaluate the Association's program.

If the membership drive is successful the board of directors has announced that it will hire another general practitioner with special pediatric training to supplement the work of Dr. Hans Wodak, whose specialty is internal medicine.

Paving Under Way At Ridge Road End

Construction work on the new roads, curbs and sidewalks began Monday at 73 Ridge Road. Sealkote and blacktop will be used to surface roads and curbs, the material depending on the amount of traffic in each particular area. Concrete curbs will be built at the entrances to courts, and 1100 square yards of sidewalk will be laid, mostly from Plateau Place to the North End School, and from Laurel Hill Road to Research Road.

Corson and Gruman, contractors for the job, will have an office at the Oldham house, and Wm. Mason Raines will be their superintendent. W. W. Van Wagner will be project engineer for FPHA with the assistance of E. C. Kirby, superintendent, and J. W. Cockey, technical advisor. An office in the maintenance building has been provided for the FPHA heads.

Share Drive Picnic

A family picnic for Co-op share drive workers is being held tomorrow evening at the lake, starting at 6:30. Social and square dancing in the pavilion will wind up the evening, according to celebration chairman Marion Wasserman.

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Citizens Need Gumption

On our walks about town we still see in old Greenbelt the gates built across hedge gaps that Manager Gobbel said he would require to be removed along with the defense householders makeshift fences. The gates are serving a most useful purpose. In one yard so protected three small children were playing safely and happily under their mother's eye the day we walked by. We dislike to put ourselves in the position of attacking such an arrangement, of which we heartily approve. It is unfair, however, that one section of town should enjoy a privilege denied to another.

Yet the defense householders themselves must bear much of the burden of their plight. Did they organize in a group to protest the removal of their fences? Did they appear before the town council to ask consideration of their problems? Did they make representation to the Federal Public Housing headquarters? No, they set back and let a few fight their losing battle.

We understand there is widespread desire for some "half-way benches" upon which weary northend shoppers could rest on their uphill way from the Center. But aside from a few individual requests, which have been refused by the office on the grounds of expense and possible damage by vandalism, nothing is being done about the benches which so many could benefit from.

We cannot emphasize strongly enough our feeling that Greenbelt residents should make their wishes felt, both through the Citizens Association and the Town Council. It will do them no good to sit back and develop frustration complexes. With its countless advantages Greenbelt is probably the best group-housing project in the country. It could approach perfection if the administration could show a little more imagination and the citizens a little more spunk.

Community Church

Communion Sunday, postponed from the first Sunday in June, will be observed at the Community Church Sunday morning. A class of boys and girls will be received into the church, and the musical program will be augmented by a solo by Miss Virginia Ann Harris. Mr. Johnston will give a short pre-communion talk on the importance of good habits upon the lives of young people. The music will be furnished by a voluntary choir under the direction of Arleigh Westerbeck, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Hester Neff. Mr. Westerbeck would like to invite all people who have any talent to sing in our choir. Mrs. Katie Barili will be in the vestibule to receive the children whose parents wish to leave them while they worship in the main auditorium. The following young people will be received into the church Sunday morning: Winnie Strickler, Esther Wolfe, Charlotte Bryant, Beverly Brundage, Patsy Highsmith, Joyce Green, Wally Daniels, Herbert Bradford, Raymond Salmon, George Lewis, David Highsmith, Billy Neff, and Billy Colliver.

The Community Church School will hold a daily vacation Bible School beginning June 18 and running through the 29th, meeting each week day except Saturday, from 9 a. m. to 12 noon. The school is open to pupils from four years to high school age, and will be under the direction of one of the most capable directors in metropolitan Washington. A fee of 50 cents per child for the two weeks is necessary to purchase supplies. The enrollment is limited, and applications should be filed early with any teacher or officer in the Church School or with Mr. Chesley, whose phone is Greenbelt 2428, or mailed to Box 245. Children will be enrolled in the order of their applications.

Barn Dance Saturday

Johnny Walker's String Ensemble will accompany the Barn Dance at the Legion House tomorrow evening (Saturday), starting at 9 o'clock.

Hebrew Congregation

For the next two Friday nights, services will be held in the social room.

After services last week, volunteer workers for the United Jewish Appeal were addressed by a Washington representative. Rabbi Metz was scheduled to make an appeal to the congregation last Tuesday night, and officially open this drive.

The second film in sound and color, "Canning Your Victory Crop," will be shown in the social room starting at 8:30 p. m., Friday, June 22.

Don't forget the children's picnic for this Sunday at 3 p. m. Those who have not done so should turn in their Sunday School text books.

Catholic Church

Sunday Masses: 7:30 a. m. and 9:30 a. m. in the Greenbelt Theatre; 7:00 a. m., 9:00 a. m. and 11:30 a. m. at Berwyn.

Confessions: Saturday from 7:30 p. m. on at 10-B Parkway in Greenbelt; Saturday at Berwyn from 3 to 5 p. m., and from 7:30 p. m. on.

Religious Instruction (for children not attending the Catholic School at Berwyn): every Tuesday afternoon at 3 p. m. at 10-B Parkway.

Novena Devotions: at Berwyn every Wednesday evening at 8 p. m.

Church Guild Meets

The Community Church Guild held its regular monthly meeting last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. Zabriskie, 38-G Ridge Road. The president, Mrs. George Wyant, explained that the program would be conducted by the committee on missionaries, with Mrs. F. D. Birchard as chairman. Mrs. J. Guthrie reviewed the book "Missionary Doctor" by Dr. Mary Lloyd Cushman, who served as a medical missionary in Africa for 20 years. There are still some tickets available for the dinner to be held by the Guild at the Fairfax Hotel in Washington on Saturday, June 16. All Guild members and friends are urged to attend.

OUR NEIGHBORS

Hi friends, the heat's on.

Their many friends in Greenbelt are going to miss the St. Clairs. Benny and the children plan to spend the summer in Massachusetts and join Bob in the fall in New York City where he will study foreign trade.

Be sure to drop in and see the art exhibit of local artist Ben Abramowitz now showing at the Central Library in Washington.

Mrs. Millie Pearson, wife of the Greenbelt druggist, is visiting at her home in Manteo, North Carolina.

Rose and Irving Rothchild recently returned from a short but full vacation in New York.

Edith and Bill Nicholas are off to Luray, Va. and New York this week.

A visitor with the Herman Ramras's is Hugh Turrington who is just back from seven months in Italy where he worked as an Operations Analyst with the 15th Air Force.

Mrs. Marjorie Ephraim of 8-B Crescent Road has returned from a two week's stay in New York where she went to be with her mother-in-law during an illness.

We've learned that the Duane Mentors, former Greenbelters who became a service family, are back in town as Greenbelters again. Their many old friends are glad to welcome them back.

Merton Trast leaves this weekend for two cooperative conferences and a short vacation.

Waldo and Martha Mott are also vacationing.

Mrs. P. J. Carroll of 1-H Gardenway left town yesterday with the two children to spend three months with her family in Danvers, Mass.

The Charles E. Thompsons, 4-E Gardenway, are the proud parents of a baby girl born June 8 at Garfield Hospital. Gail Elaine weighed 6 lbs., 6 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray almbach of Ann Arbor, Michigan are visiting the C. J. VanCamps at 3-E Crescent Road this week.

Mrs. Burchuk is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Aranow, who has come down from Camden, N. J.

Former residents Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Oldham, now of Branchville, have announced the engagement of their daughter Mary, to Woodrow W. Groover of Jacksonville, Fla. The date of marriage has not been set.

Mrs. R. F. Webster and Mrs. J. G. Churchill were recent hostesses at an 11-13 Club gathering. Bingo was the main attraction of the evening.

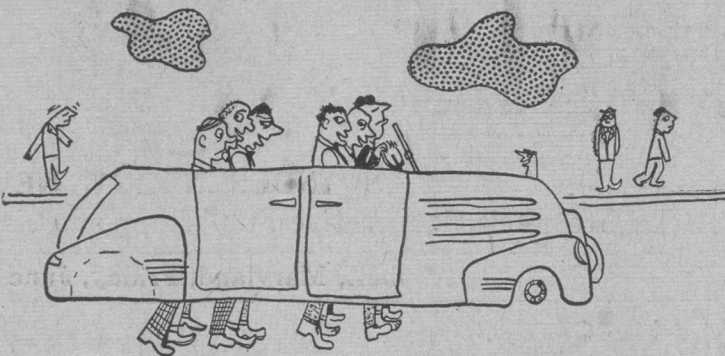
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd L. Young and sons Elgray and J. H., of 57-S Ridge Road, left Tuesday to spend the summer in Salt Lake City.

Janet Neff, who is employed at the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, sang with a quartet Tuesday night at a meeting addressed by Admiral Ross McIntire, Director of the Bureau. Miss Neff had two solos.

That's thirty for tonight, folks.

Gobbel Calls For Quiet, Stresses No-Shorts Rule

Town Manager James Gobbel announced at the last council meeting that there are many complaints received about the late evening noise in the center. Though it is felt that this is not deliberate disorderly conduct, the nearby apartment house residents are finding their sleep disturbed. Radios are another noise factor causing distress now that windows are being left open. Manager Gobbel pointed out that a lease provision covers this and asked that all residents observe quiet after 11 p. m. in accordance with the lease provision.



This crowd isn't on speaking terms with the Hyattsville ration board.

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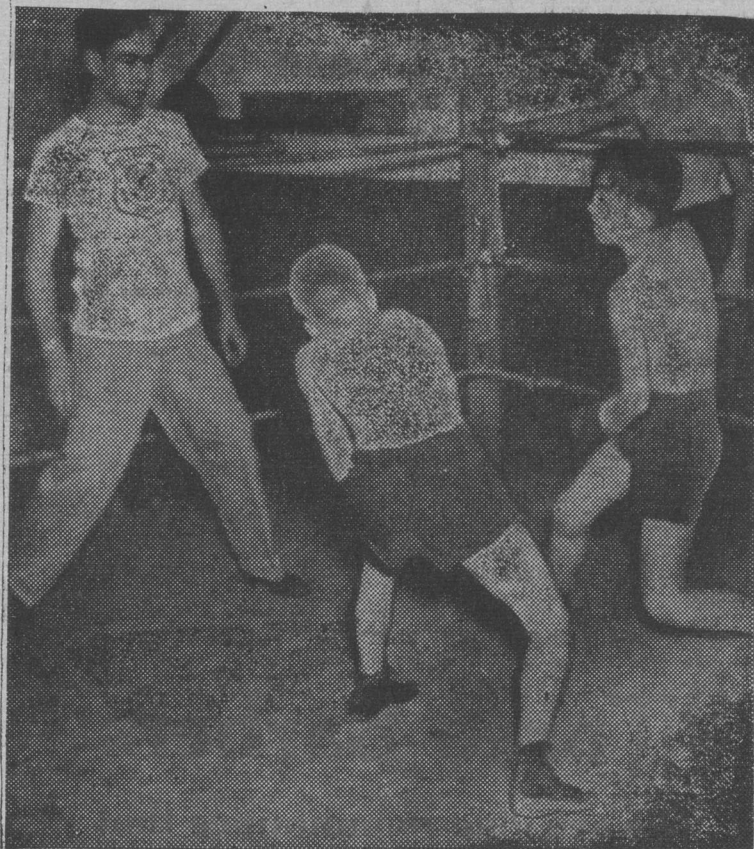
- AWARDS (call Mrs. D. J. Neff, 3-D Ridge Rd., phone 2386)
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- ENTERTAINMENT (call Eli Radinsky, 5-A Gardenway)
- EXHIBITS (call Guy Moore, 7-H Crescent Rd. ph. 2691)
- FINANCE (call E. Don Bullion, 7-D Ridge Rd. ph. 5936)
- FORMS (call Waldo Mott, 7 Woodland Way, ph. 5106)
- FUNDS AND PROGRAM (call Frank Riley, 38-M Ridge Rd. ph. 6851)
- PUBLICITY (Don O'Reilly, 8-H Plateau Pl. ph. 6136)
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Greenbelt's biggest all-community event of the year

Greenbelters At Boys Club Bout



Kenneth Maschauer of Greenbelt, left, referees an 85 lb. class fight between Ralph Longenecker, '44 Silver Gloves Champion, also of Greenbelt, and Floyd Ridgeway. Greenbelt John Martone, Junior Golden Gloves champion, looks on from outside the ring. This bout was part of a parents program staged recently at the Police Boys Club new gymnasium in Colmar Manor.

Prince Georges Baseball Results

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

Teams	W	L	Pct.	Teams	W	L	Pct.
GREENBELT	6	0	1.000	Bamby Bakers	2	3	.400
Snug Harbor	6	0	1.000	Scaggsville	1	4	.200
Hyattsville	5	1	.833	Mt. Rainier Recs	1	5	.167
Colmar Manor	4	1	.800	Riverdale	1	5	.167
Prince Geo. Police	4	1	.800	Maryland Park	1	5	.167
Mt. Rainier A. C.	3	3	.500	Prince Geo. A. C.	0	6	.000

Scores of Last Sunday's games: GREENBELT SHAMROCKS 24, Scaggsville 2; Snug Harbor 9, Mt. Rainier Recreation 0; Hyattsville 5, Maryland Park, 0; Colmar Manor 7, Bamby Bakers (Northeast A. C.), 4; Prince Georges Policemen 5, Riverdale 0; Mt. Rainier A. C. 8, Prince Georges A. C. 6.

Sunday's big games: GREENBELT SHAMROCKS vs Hyattsville at Magruder Park, Hyattsville, 2:45 o'clock. Snug Harbor vs Prince Georges Policemen.

Bingo Game!

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Wing Pins	63	54	52578
Invaders	61	56	51355
Hep Cats	58	59	50649
Zombies	57	60	49299
Raiders	55	62	51923
G. I.'s	55	62	51589
Commandos	55	62	51502
Widgets	48	69	48054
Bombers	46	71	47677
Allies	43	74	50473

HTG—G. I.'s 538. HTS—Robots, 1506. HIG—Ourand 135, Dennard, 134. HIS—Walker, 336; DiPietro, 331. High Strikes—Johnson 31; Schnittker, 29. High Spares—Mathers 153; Allen, Greene 140. High Aver.—Bradley, 100; Lantner, 98; Timmons, 98; Sansone, 96. High Flat Game—Bushman, 95.

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THE ARMY

Pvt. Howie Fitzhugh is now in the Philippines. He is attached to a Hdqrs. Co., Medical Division.

Pvt. Leonard Webster is with the 7th Army now in Austria.

Flight Officer Guy Bowen is home from England on a months furlough and is awaiting assignment in the Pacific. We saw Guy at the graduation exercises Thursday night.

There are three Maschauer brothers in the Service. Pvt. Bernard Maschauer is back home from the Pacific. He has been in nine battles out there and has his nine gold stars. Bernie just missed his brother who was on leave from Camp Walters, Texas. Another brother is with a tank corps in the E.T.O. Hope they can have a reunion before long.

Pvt. Ben Perelzweig is with the 15th Army of Occupation in Germany.

Betty Andrus, our Cadet Nurse from Greenbelt, was one of the alumni seen at the graduation exercises Thursday night. Betty is sweating it out at Children's Hospital and returns to her home base at Garfield Hospital.

First Lieutenant Ira Solet of the Army Air Force is back on furlough. The family is visiting briefly in New York.

Former residents Lt. and Mrs. Don G. Kern and daughter Donna Lee have been spending a few days at the home of the Harry Bates. Lt. Kern is on leave from the Gen. Forge Hospital, Phoenixville, Pa., where he is being treated for wounds received while fighting with the Infantry overseas.

THE NAVY

Bill Hennessy is on a destroyer escort boat which was under direct fire for 15 minutes from a Jap suicide squadron. Bill's Mom and Dad have kept in touch with the Navy and we are glad to report that Bill's name is not on the casualty list.

M/M Gene Schmidt, a former resident of Greenbelt, is on duty at the New London submarine base. Norman Enzer is also stationed at the submarine base in Connecticut.

Bart Finn, S 1/c is with a Navy combat demolition squad in the Tinnians.

S 1/c Edward M. King of 18-A Parkway road was last heard of in the Marshall Islands. He is with a combat aircraft service unit.

Mark Greenwalt is now on the U.S.S. Providence.

Bill Avagliano is home from boot training at Bainbridge, Md.

Good luck and God bless you.

Summer Concerts

To Start Sunday

The first band concert in the 1945 summer series is slated for Sunday, June 16, one hour before sunset, at the east front of the elementary school. The band, under the baton of Dana M. Garrett, will offer on the program, subject to change: "Raymond Overture" by Ambrose Tomas, "The Iron Count" by K. L. King, "The Whistler and His Dog" by Arthur Pryor, and a selection of service songs, augmented by various marches, waltzes and novelty numbers.

The programs, for the benefit of those who have never attended these functions, are free, and open to the public, non-Greenbelters included.

This year is the third in which the band has offered these delightful summer programs. In 1942 the band started off with a series of "block" concerts, traveling from one section of town to another, under the direction of Drum Major Mike Loftus, recently discharged from the Army.

Last year's programs were held at the same locale as is proposed for this series. The average program consists of a march to "start things off right", an overture, a waltz, an instrumental solo, and more marches and novelty numbers.

Nine Firemen Graduate

Local firemen who graduated from Officer John Belton's fire control classes last Tuesday during exercises held at the Berwyn Hgts. School are: George Bauer, Sam Downs, Jr., James Griggs, Wayne A. Holien, Milton Laikin, William Sweeney, Jack: Waldo, Raymond Welsh, and John Paul Williams.

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GREENBELT COOPERATOR

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Rare Items Picked For Bingo Prizes At Athletic Club

"Greenbelt's biggest Bingo game!" is the way John MacWilliams describes the Athletic Club's event for Saturday night, June 23.

Prizes listed for the Bingo party include hams, electric clocks, electric irons, Ronson cigarette lighters, sheets, pillow slips, ladies' stockings, cigarettes, assorted liquors, and food items. These prizes, most of them scarce goods, are donated by club members.

The Bingo cards will sell at from 10 to 15 cents. George Bauer will call the numbers, and some of the games will be held out of doors in order to accommodate the large number of Greenbelters expected.

At 8:30 p. m. the calling is scheduled to begin. The Clubhouse is located north of Braden Field and the tennis courts, and may be reached by driving in from Crescent Road a little past Hillside Road.

It has been announced that the usual refreshments will be served.

The regular monthly dance with music furnished by Van Camp's band will attract members and guests the following Saturday night, June 30.

Summer Rec Plans Include Games, Crafts, Swimming

The Summer Recreation Program sponsored by the Recreation Department of the Town will go into effect June 25, with classes offered in tennis, archery, arts and crafts, dancing, tumbling and swimming. Softball and baseball teams for boys will also be organized.

Registration for these classes was held the latter part of this week and although the classes are fairly well filled up at the present, anyone interested who has not had the chance to register may still enter the classes by contacting the Recreation Department.

Tennis lessons will be given for beginners, advanced players and adults; archery lessons for beginners, advanced boys and girls 12 years old and over, and adults; arts and crafts for 8 years old and above; dancing and tumbling for boys and girls 6 years old and above; and swimming lessons for 6 years old and above with Beginners, Intermediate, Swimmers, Junior Life Saving, Senior Life Saving and adult classes.

Red Cross certificates will be awarded to those who successfully complete their swimming courses; tournaments will be held in archery and tennis, and an arts and crafts exhibit will conclude the handiwork program. The dancing and tumbling classes will take part in programs throughout the summer, and games with other playgrounds will be scheduled for the softball and baseball teams. The Water Pageant will be held again this year with practice daily from 12 to 1, beginning June 26. Anyone interested is eligible to try out.

These classes are given under capable instructors and not only serve as wholesome recreation for the summer months but also provide a means of real training in the various sports. Regular attendance is urged to derive real benefits from the classes.

Woman Held For Larceny

Mrs. Mary Jane Fields of Lakeland, Md., a domestic servant employed in Greenbelt for the last five years, has been charged with grand larceny following complaints filed by two Greenbelt families. She is being held for grand jury action in Hyattsville.

Mrs. Fields was first arrested by Officer Robert Dodge on Monday, June 4, following a report of missing articles by a former employer. She was arraigned in Hyattsville before Judge Owens, who imposed a fine of \$15 and a sentence of three months in the House of Correction. Officer Dodge then recovered approximately \$200 worth of clothing and jewelry from Mrs. Fields' home and, following a complaint of a second employer, the charge of grand larceny was made.

Town Manager James Gobel commended the work of Officer Dodge and said this was the third such conviction in recent months. Manager Gobel emphasized the importance of promptly reporting any missing article so that the police may be aided in their work, and that honest servants may be protected from unjust suspicion.

Holly Rocks Blast Scaggsville, 24 - 2 Hyattsville Next

Vince Holochwest pitched and helped bat his Shamrocks to a 24 to 2 landslide victory over Scaggsville at Braden Field last Sunday while Bob McIntyre was whitewashing Mt. Rainier Recs by 9-0 for Snug Harbor, each victor remaining in a deadlock atop the county baseball loop.

Pete Scalise, Bill Eick, Norm Raber and Holly banged out 3 hits apiece in the 20 hit attack that produced an even two dozen runs and set a new scoring record for the league. Only Johnny Newman and the catchers, Joe Todd and Micky Tarrant remained hitless—everyone else secured two hits apiece.

The 'Rocks have played through the "soft punch" portion of their first half schedule and have regarded same as enthusiastic batting practice for the next few Sundays. Hyattsville will be met this Sunday on their own home grounds and the Shams will have to be right on their toes to smack back the determined third-placers.

Ernie Boggs will be back from his West Virginia vacation in time for slab chores at Magruder Park.

Manager Holochwest requests his players to meet in front of the elementary school promptly at 2. Game time is 2:45.

GREENBELT	AB	R	H	PO	A
Zerwick, cf	4	1	2	2	0
Scalise, 3b	6	1	3	1	3
Boggs, 2b, 1b	5	2	2	5	2
Alf, lf	6	3	2	2	0
Eick, ss	4	4	3	1	3
Newman, 1b	2	1	0	7	0
Raber, lf	3	3	3	0	0
Shahady, rf	2	1	0	0	0
Wolfe, 2b	2	3	2	1	1
Todd, c	1	0	0	4	0
Tarrant, c	2	1	0	3	0
Holochwest, p	5	4	3	1	2

Totals:	43	24	20	27	11
SCAGGSVILLE	AB	R	H	PO	A
Miles, 1b	3	0	0	9	1
W. Hines, ss	1	0	0	2	1
Whelan, cf	3	0	0	3	0
D. Hines, 2b	1	0	0	0	1
Brown, c	3	0	0	2	1
Renn, 2b	3	1	1	1	1
White, ss	4	1	0	1	2
Buckingham, lf	3	0	1	2	0
Archer, rf	3	0	0	2	0
Thompson, rf	0	0	0	0	0
Stonesifer, p	2	0	1	0	1
Moore, lf	1	0	0	1	0
Leishear, 3b	3	0	0	1	2

Totals: 30 2 3 24 10

Score by innings:
SCAGGSVILLE 000 200 000—2
SHAMROCKS 221 143 56x—24

Summary: Errors—Scalise, Boggs, W. Hines, D. Hines, Brown 3, Renn, White 2, Stonesifer, Leishear. Runs batted in—Zerwick, Scalise 4, Boggs 2, Alf, Eick 2, Raber 2, Shahady, Wolfe 3, Todd, Tarrant, Holochwest 4, Buckingham 2. Two base hits—Alf, Holochwest, Boggs. Three base hit—Zerwick. Sacrifice hits—Newman, Tarrant, Holochwest, Zerwick, Scalise. Stolen bases—Scalise 2, Boggs 2, Alf, Eick Newman, Raber, Holochwest, White. Double plays—Holochwest to Eick to Newman; Renn to Miles. Left on bases—Greenbelt Shamrocks 7, Scaggsville 3. First base on balls—off Holochwest 2. Struck out—by Holochwest 7. Umpire—Jack Fowler (D. C. Umpires' Assn). Time of game—2:50

CLASSIFIED

RATES—for classified advertising: 3 cents per word, minimum 50 cents. Phone 4151 or bring to basement of 8 Parkway Tuesday night.

RADIOS REPAIRED, called for and delivered. Telephone 3571.

WASHING MACHINES AND VACUUM CLEANERS—Sales and service. Pick-up and delivery. James T. Chenault, 6210 Rhode Island Ave., Riverdale. WA. 4433 and WA. 4662.

WANTED—Washing machine and child's wagon in good condition. June Wilbur, 6-S Ridge Road, phone 3276.

LOST—Large blue tricycle, two weeks ago at Center. Reward. Bobby Harrison, 19-S Ridge Road. Phone 2546.

RIDE WANTED—To Plant Industry Station, Beltsville, Md. Hours 4 to 8:30 p. m. M. Maryn, 58-M Crescent Road, phone 4856.

FOR SALE—Remington typewriter. Call. GR. 5381.

Legislative Line - Up

By SOLET and ROTHCHILD
BALLOT, PAY CHECK AND GROCERY BILL

There is a lot of important legislative news this week, but rather than spread ourselves over all of it, we are going to concentrate on just three bills which we believe are of top priority. These are the Anti-Poll Tax bill, the permanent FEPC, and the Price Control Act renewal. The passage of these three bills in the form presented by their sponsors we consider an absolute must for the extension and widening of democracy in our country. They mean in simplest terms—democracy at the ballot box, at the pay window, and in the grocery store—and unless they are passed, and put into effect immediately, much of what we fought for in Europe, and are still bitterly fighting for in the Pacific will be denied to us at home. The political freedom and economic security of all Americans will be in danger as long as any group of people are kept as political and economic underdogs because of their color, their religion, their country of origin, or their political beliefs. The Anti-Poll Tax bill prohibits the requirement of a payment of money for the privilege of voting, and the Permanent FEPC bill prohibits any employer from denying employment to, or offering employment to, any person solely on the basis of his color, creed, origin or religion.

Why have we included the Price Control Act renewal with these two? Because unless our savings are guaranteed, unless our standard of living and purchasing power are maintained at their present level in the postwar period, we are going to have a depression, beside which the one we just came out of will look like the promised land. And if that happens, the safeguards to democracy embodied in the first two bills will be meaningless.

The Anti-Poll Tax bill was passed by the House Tuesday, and now goes to the Senate. It faces a tough fight from the bloc of reactionary southern Democrats, who have again threatened to filibuster it to death. Your Senator should know that you want him to vote for a time limit on debate (closure), the only way in which the bill will have a chance to come to a vote. The Permanent FEPC was to have been given a rule by the House Rules committee today, but as of now, we have heard no news. President Truman asked for immediate favorable action on the bill, and the members of the Rules Committee should be literally deluged with letters, telegrams and phone calls urging compliance with Truman's request. As far as the Price Control Act is concerned, it was given a neat little stab in the back in the Senate, where it was passed, but after an amendment allowing farm prices to rise high enough to guarantee a profit to the most marginal producer was incorporated into the bill. The amendment is known as the "farm cost of production amendment", and since the bill now must be acted on by the House, there is still time to defeat it. This amendment would effectively knock all price ceilings off farm products. The Price Control Act must be renewed without any amendments! Let your congressman know at once how you stand; it may be too late by next week.

Town Fair Events Listed, More Time For Slogans

The deadline for submitting Town Fair themes and slogans has been moved up to Monday, June 18 by the planning committee, which met Sunday at the home of Lester M. Sanders, a new committee member. Slogans may be left in the Cooperator box at the tobacco store or placed through the slot of the Cooperator door at 8 Parkway (basement).

Paul Dunbar, chairman of the contests committee, has announced the following competition events: canning, cakes and pies, bread and rolls, candies, needlework, fancy and hand work, flowers, vegetables, hobbies and oddities. Mr. Dunbar is announcing the contests early so that homemakers may bear them in mind while pursuing their summer projects. He said that each contest will be completed within one evening so that perishable entries, when reclaimed, will still be usable. Cellophane covers will be used to protect the food submitted in contests.

The Town Council at its last meeting went on record as giving moral support to the fair, and decided to have an exhibit.

Official Notice

With the arrival of the summer recreation season Police Chief, George Panagoulis reminds residents that a town ordinance prohibits the wearing of bathing suits, bath robes, house coats, or shorts and halters in the business center of Greenbelt.

The town ordinance applies to anyone 14 years of age or older, with the exception of Boy Scouts in uniform. The business center is defined as that section where the stores, shops, theater, and town offices are located, and the adjacent walks and plaza.

Violations may result in a fine of from \$2 to \$25.

Residents are further reminded that town ordinances prohibit swimming in Greenbelt Lake, fishing in Greenbelt Lake except with the proper license, and the riding of bicycles on sidewalks.

Residents Form

Symphony Group

Under the sponsorship of Mrs. Mary Jane Kinzer a group of residents met at the school June 8 to found a symphony orchestra. John A. Finckel, who will direct the newly-formed group was introduced to the gathering by Dana Garrett, director of the Greenbelt Band.

A first practice has been scheduled for Thursday, June 28, at 8 p. m. in the social room of the elementary school. Everyone in Greenbelt, or nearby communities, who can play a stringed instrument, horn, or piano is invited to attend and meet the new maestro.

Mr. Finckel started his musical education on the flute at the age of six, later switching to the cello, and won the Morris Loeb Artist's Prize of \$1000 at the Institute of Musical Art in New York City. In 1941 he composed the background music for the Department of Agriculture movie, "Harvests for Tomorrow," and conducted the film recording of his work by members of the National Symphony Orchestra. As a warrant officer he served for two years as leader of an army band in Florida.

Brownie Leaders Report Group's Year Of Service

Leader and Assistant Leader Mrs. Hilbert Kurth and Mrs. Charles Zounek recently made public the annual service report of Brownie Troop 35. Aged 7 to 10, the youngsters this year collected \$10.46 for the Infantile Paralysis Fund, gave 145 service hours by helping with store errands, etc., contributed \$10 worth of pocket library books to the U.S.S. Polaris, raised \$2 for Red Cross Christmas boxes, made 20 Christmas cards for leper boxes, collected 317 Christmas cards for hospitals, made 25 Christmas cards for relatives in services, contributed \$1.41 to the Juliette Lowe fund, gave 14 rainy day costumes to the child care center, made 200 book markers for Walter Reed Hospital, donated 240 cookies for the Greenbelt Cookie Jar, filled 500 Easter favors with candy for Glendale Sanitarium, filled an Easter basket with 20 ribbons for troop member Shirley Oviatt, ill with polio, gave \$1 to the Cancer Fund, and collected and distributed 223 magazines to hospital ships, etc.

Tobacco Store Cools Off

The tobacco store has air conditioning this year for the first time and the drug store set-up, which is coordinated with the theatre, is considerably improved as to atmosphere. The variety store and food store continue without benefit of air conditioning, but the installation of two large exhaust fans is expected to help by drawing in the cool night and morning air.

Save TIRES—Buy at Home

SHOE REPAIR NOTICE

To give our operator a vacation, no more shoes can be taken for repair at the Valet Shop until July 9.

Greenbelt Consumer Services
BUY BONDS AT THE THEATRE



Mrs. Jean Bowlen, R. N. administers vaccine to a small patient at the Health Association office.

Troop 202 Scores High In Camporee

All four patrols of Greenbelt Boy Scouts in last Sunday's Camporee scored close to the 600 mark maximum, a tabulation of all points revealed Thursday. Every one of the Troop 202 Scouts who participated won the coveted camper's badge.

Well up on the list of the 39 patrols entered in the week-end camping demonstration, the Senior Patrol scored 545, Silver Fox 544, Pioneers 542, and Eagles 523.

Nearly 200 Boy Scouts took part in the event held at the Prince Georges County camp about three miles south of Greenbelt.

"School" Houses Resume Normal Status As Homes

School furniture and equipment has been moved from the row of houses at 53 Ridge Road, serving for the past two years as the North End school. After the houses have been renovated and the original lighting fixtures restored, six more 2-bedroom units will be available for new tenants, it was announced by the tenant selection office.

No Public Health Clinics Or Classes Next Week

Immunization clinic and pre-natal class will not be held next Tuesday, June 19. Clinic will be held as usual June 26 at 9 a. m., but the 2 p. m. pre-natal class will not meet until July 3.

Mrs. Frances Stouffer, Public Health nurse, will attend a special course in the teaching of home nursing given by the Red Cross for the next two weeks. During the second week, beginning June 20, the class will be held in Greenbelt. The first week of the course will be given in Alexandria.

Dr. Wm. Eisner and Mrs. Stouffer have been engaged to conduct a health clinic for the Berwyn area. Immunization shots for diphtheria, smallpox, whooping cough, and tetanus will be given at a nominal cost at these clinics, to be held from 7-8 p. m. on alternating Thursdays at the Berwyn elementary school.

Parsnips taste better if left in the ground until they freeze.

At The MAIN FOOD STORE

LUX TOILET SOAP (reg size)	3 for 20c
LIFEBUOY SOAP	3 for 20c
SWAN SOAP (med. size)	6c
SWAN SOAP (large)	3 for 29c
SPRY 1 lb. Jar	24c
SPRY 3 lb. Jar	68c
(ten red points per lb.)	
LUX FLAKES 5 oz.	2 for 19c
LUX FLAKES 12 1/2 oz.	23c
RINSO 9 oz.	2 for 19c
RINSO 24 oz.	23c

We reserve the right to limit quantities

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We are glad to announce that

ARTHUR KEYS

has recently joined our staff of barbers

With three barbers

we are able to serve you better

Patronize Your Own Shop

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ETHICS In Our Pharmacy

In Recent Ads We Introduced Our New

Pharmacy Manager And Price Policies.

This Ad Deals With Our PHARMACY ETHICS

- We expect the health and safety of our members and patrons to be the first consideration of our pharmacists.
- Our pharmacists will give advice regarding drug products, but will leave diagnosis and treatment of illness to physicians.
- In compounding prescriptions our pharmacists stress accuracy rather than speed. They are paid on a salary rather than a speed-up basis.
- Our pharmacists do not discuss with the customer the contents of a physician's prescription.
- Our pharmacists do not substitute one article for another in a prescription without the consent of the physician writing the prescription.

ARE YOU using the GREENBELT PHARMACY for prescriptions?

Your neighbors are to an increasing extent.

The number of prescriptions increased from 145 to 175 per week between April and June.

WE ARE MOVING AHEAD TOGETHER

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